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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated September 17, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.